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AMENDMENT IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST OF CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 17, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Claim Amendments begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.